

## Assignment 6: Web Crawler

Code:

```
val a = for {  
    n <- ns \\ "a"  
    hr <- n \ "@href"  
} yield createURL(Option(url), hr.toString())  
val b: Seq[URL] = a.flatMap(_.toOption)  
for {  
    x <- b  
} yield validateURL(x)
```

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for {  
    a <- getURLContent(url)  
    b <- MonadOps.asFuture(getLinks(a))  
} yield b
```

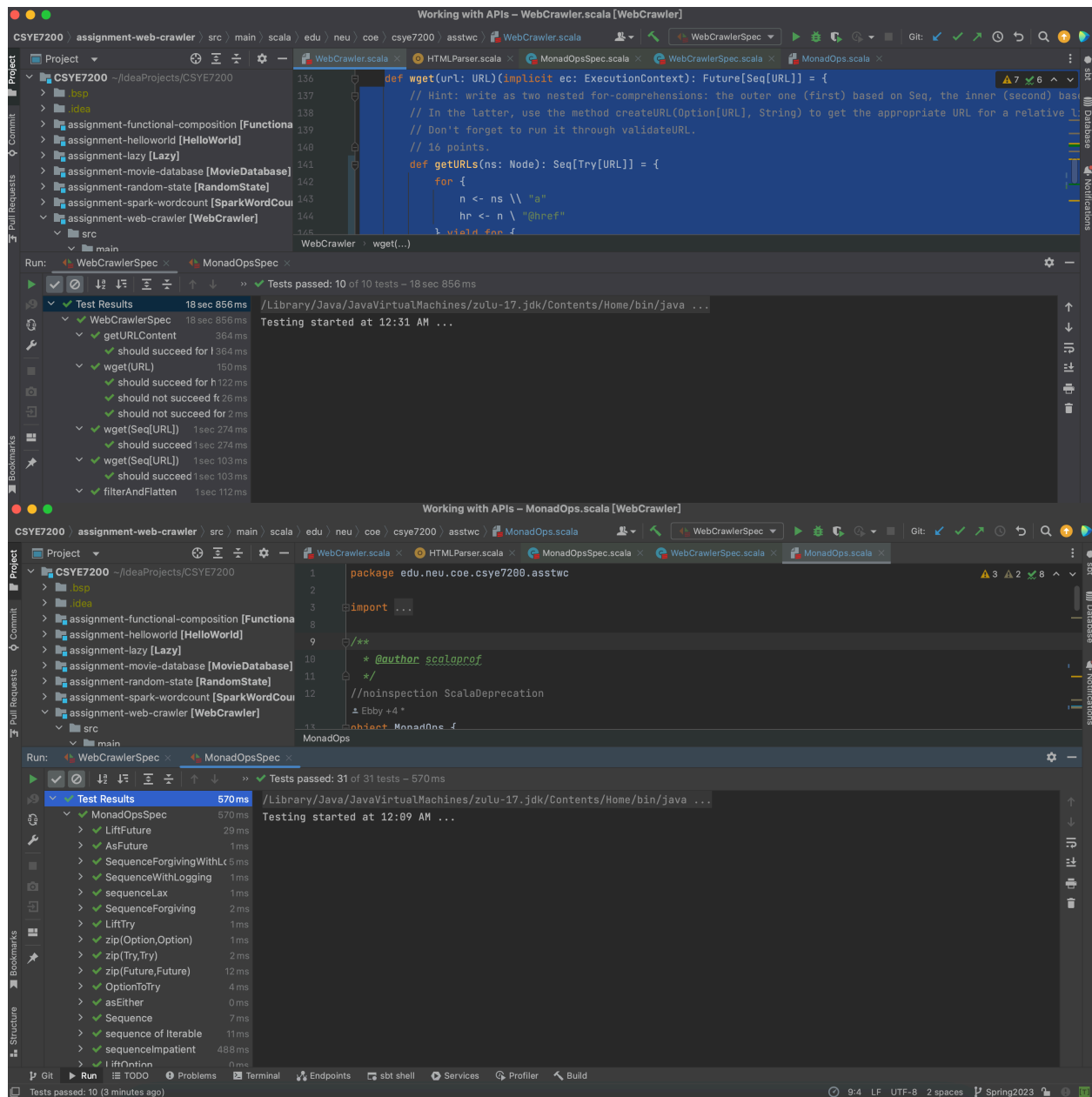
```
def asOption[X](xe: Either[Throwable, X]): Option[X]  
= xe.toOption
```

Suggestions on how to improve the web crawler (get it from ChatGPT):

1. Separate concerns: It's a good practice to separate concerns in the code. Currently, the WebCrawler class is doing two things: performing the web crawl and logging errors. It would be better to separate the logging functionality into a separate class or method.
2. Error handling: The current error handling mechanism is not very robust. For example, if a URL is invalid or there is an error while reading the content of the URL, the error

is just logged to the console. It would be better to handle errors more gracefully, for example, by returning a future with a failure.

Screenshot:



Github: <https://github.com/junlongqiao/CSYE7200>